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BEFORE THE POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

COMPETITIVE PRODUCT PRICES
PRIORITY MAIL EXPRESS CONTRACT 19 (MC2014-41)
NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENT

Docket No. CP2014-74

NOTICE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF EXTENSION OF PRIORITY MAIL EXPRESS CONTRACT 19 (September 1, 2017)

The Postal Service hereby provides notice that the parties have mutually agreed, pursuant to Section III of Priority Mail Express Contract 19, to extend the contract until December 9, 2017, which is the first of two ninety-day periods contemplated by the contract's terms. Preparation of a successor contract is active and the parties expect to reach an agreement over the coming weeks. Thus, the parties have agreed to extend Priority Mail Express Contract 19 through December 9, 2017. This extension will not materially affect the cost coverage of Priority Mail Express Contract 19. Therefore, the supporting financial documentation and financial certification previously provided in this docket remain applicable.

Respectfully submitted,

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